

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the  
Eastern District of WashingtonFILED IN THE  
U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

Aug 01, 2023

SEAN F. McAVOY, CLERK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

*Plaintiff*

v.

Civil Action No. 2:21-CV-0262-TOR

MULTISTAR INDUSTRIES, INC.,

*Defendant***JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL ACTION**The court has ordered that (*check one*):

☐ the plaintiff (*name*) \_\_\_\_\_ recover from the  
defendant (*name*) \_\_\_\_\_ the amount of  
\_\_\_\_\_ dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_), which includes prejudgment  
interest at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_ %, plus post judgment interest at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_ % per annum, along with costs.

☐ the plaintiff recover nothing, the action be dismissed on the merits, and the defendant (*name*) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ recover costs from the plaintiff (*name*) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

☒ other: The Court rules in favor of Plaintiff on Claims 1 through 7 and imposes a \$850,000 penalty against Multistar Industries, Inc. This penalty is payable to the United States Treasury and if payment is not timely made, interest accrues pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1961.

The Court also enters the Order Granting Injunction which accompanies these Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

This action was (*check one*):

☐ tried by a jury with Judge \_\_\_\_\_ presiding, and the jury has  
rendered a verdict.

☐ tried by Judge \_\_\_\_\_ without a jury and the above decision  
was reached.

☒ decided by Judge THOMAS O. RICE \_\_\_\_\_

after a bench trial conducted on July 17, 2023, and considering the parties' written closing arguments.

Date: August 1, 2023

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B. Fortenberry